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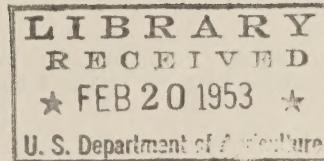
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1953

After five days return to

GLADHAVEN GARDENS
 NORTH MAIN STREET
 WEST FRANKLIN, N. H.

RETURN POSTAGE GUARANTEED
 MAY BE OPENED FOR POSTAL INSPECTION



STAMP

IF YOU ARE NO LONGER GROWING FLOWERS WILL YOU KINDLY HAND THIS LIST TO A FRIEND WHO IS FOND OF FLOWERS? THANK YOU!

This List Cancels All Previous Prices.

PRICE LIST 1953

GLADHAVEN GARDENS

George G. Fowler, Prop.

North Main Street

West Franklin, N. H.

BEST WISHES for a HAPPY NEW YEAR to our old friends and customers; thank you for your past patronage. We do not expect to issue another price list as we intend to retire from active business. We have put many of our named varieties into our GLADHAVEN ASSORTMENT, giving BIG value for your money. If any of our old customers feel that they have been unfairly treated by us in the past, and will write and explain their case, we will try and make satisfactory adjustment. Hope to receive enough orders this spring to substantially reduce our stock of bulbs.

Thank you for the many fine letters we have received from you in the past few years.

Gratefully yours,

MR. and MRS. GEORGE G. FOWLER

Jan. 5, 1953

P. S. We celebrated our 58th Anniversary the 4th.

TERMS OF SALE

All prices are subject to the following conditions and may be changed without notice.

- (a) Any Federal or State Tax that may be imposed on sales.
- (b) Stock on hand when order is received.
- (c) No bulbs mailed C. O. D. without at least a 25% deposit with order.

All bulbs are mailed postpaid to 4th Postal Zone.

You may buy 5 bulbs at $\frac{1}{2}$ the price of 10 bulbs.

HOW TO REMIT

Money Orders and Checks are the best and safest.

1, 2 and 3c stamps for small amounts, cannot use Air Mail stamps.

IT IS NOT SAFE TO SEND LOOSE CASH.

IMPORTANT

ORDER EARLY and state on the order sheet when you want the bulbs shipped. We acknowledge the order by post card so you may know your order has been received by us. Indicate on the Order Sheet if we may or may not substitute if out of variety ordered. Print your name and address plainly and please do not use the Price List for an Order Sheet as it is very confusing.

If I am out of size ordered will send the next nearest size to value of order or more. You can expect extras with your order depending upon the size of order. KEEP a copy of your order. We will do the best we can with orders asking us to "ship by return mail" depending on how cold the weather is when order is received. Without other instructions we will ship in time for proper planting in your locality.

DO NOT WAIT UNTIL the day before you want to plant your bulbs before ordering. If you do not want to pay for bulbs in full when you order, a 25% deposit with order will hold bulbs until May 1, 1953.

GUARANTEE

We guarantee that the gladiolus bulbs you buy from us will be true to name, healthy and properly cured for planting spring of 1953.

Cannot guarantee crop or anything depending on cultivation or weather.

WE CANNOT GUARANTEE EVERY BULB TO BLOOM FOR YOU, as they will not always bloom for us.

FULL CULTURAL INSTRUCTIONS WITH EVERY ORDER

ORDER EARLY and have bulbs reserved for mailing after danger of frost is over. Orders received after May 10 asking shipment by return mail are often hard to fill, a disappointment to you and ourselves. Without instructions will ship at proper planting time in your locality.

A 25% deposit will hold orders till May 1st. Cannot ship to Canada.

All bulbs in each separate group are same price. To get the ten rate the 10 must be of one variety and size. 10 bulbs unlabeled may be assorted at same price. 5 bulbs may be had at one half the price of 10 bulbs.

GROUP NO. 1

Large size bulbs, 3 for 25c; 10 for 70c

Medium size bulbs, 4 for 25c; 10 for 50c

GLEN ELLIS, large early salmon pink. Good cut.
IVY ROBERTSON, beautiful tall creamy pink. Late.

LADY JANE, large light creamy yellow. Good cut.

GROUP NO. 2

Large size bulbs, 2 for 25c; 10 for \$1.00

Medium size bulbs, 3 for 25c; 10 for 70c

AUEROLE, beautiful large ruffled light yellow.
ABU HASSEN, early deep blue. Medium only.
BRENDA STAR, tall light blush pink. Rose pencil marks.
CANNON MT., very tall, large coral pink. Good cut.
CONN. YANKEE, large light pink, scarlet blotch. Good cut. Medium only.
DAISY MAE, large orange shading to darker throat.
DIEPPE, large ruffled salmon red. Good cut.
ELIZABETH the QUEEN, large flowered lavender pink.
GOLDEN STATE, nice large golden yellow. Medium only.
HUNTRESS, very good light large lavender pink. Med. only.
MAGNOLIA, large spike of creamy rose-pink. A beauty for cutting.
MARGARET BEATON, large tall white, scarlet throat blotch.
MOHAWK, extra fine deep rose-red. Medium only.
MONTPELIER, clear pink, large flower. Medium only.

OGARITA, one of the largest salmon-rose, golden throat, late. Medium only.
ORANGE GOLD, large deep orange, golden throat. Medium only.
ORIENTAL PEARL, extra large white, slight cream shade. Medium only.
PINK CHARM, nice early watermelon pink.
RED CHARM, best low priced red for cutting.
SNOW PRINCESS, good early white for cutting.
SPIC & SPAN, ruffled deep pink, a beauty.
SPOTLIGHT, deep yellow, red throat blotch.
TIVOLI, very tall clear pink, one of the best. Medium only.
VULCAN, new shade of reddish, violet-purple. Medium only.
WHITE GODDESS, tall, large ruffled white, one of the best. Medium only.
ZARNE, tall, early, flesh pink.

GROUP NO. 3

Large size bulbs, 2 for 30c; 10 for \$1.20

Medium size bulbs, 2 for 20c; 10 for 80c

BIRCH RED, large deep blood red, one of the best. Medium only.
LAVENDER BRIDE, tall true lavender. Our origination.
PALMYRA, tall creamy salmon pink. Very pretty.
RIPPLING WATERS, very unusual blend of blue, lavender and white. Our origination. Much favorable comment on this variety last season.

ROBINSON CRUSOE, a novelty chocolate-tan, heavily marbled deep rose. Medium only.
YANKEE CLIPPER, giant light creamy pink, sport of Picardy.

GROUP NO. 4

Large size bulbs, 1 for 20c; 10 for \$1.50

Medium size bulbs, 2 for 25c; 10 for \$1.00

BIRTHDAY, blue-lavender shade, with darger throat blotch. Our origination. PATROL, tall clear apricot, yellow throat, pretty. Medium only.

GROUP NO. 5

Medium size, 2 for 30c; 10 for \$1.25

EVANGELINE, a gorgeous light pink that has made a hit.
First time at this low price.

GLADHAVEN ASSORTMENT

For those who do not care for the name of each gladiolus bulb we have prepared this assortment of colors well balanced, some early, some mid-season and some late, giving a long season. Plant 50 early May and 50 more in about three weeks and you will have cut flowers a long time. The blooming time for large glad bulbs runs from 65 to 90 days after planting, takes a little longer for the medium size and small. Even the small size will make a nice bloom this year.

If bought under name and labeled these bulbs would cost about double. Satisfaction GUARANTEED.

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| Large size 1 1/4 inch and up | Medium size average 1 inch | Small under 1/4 inch |
| 25 for \$1.25 | 50 for \$1.25 | 100 for \$1.00 |
| 50 for \$2.25 | 100 for \$2.25 | |
| 100 for \$4.00 | Postpaid to Fourth Postal Zone | |

BULBLETS

Bulblets are the small coromels that grow around the base of the bulb with hard seed like shell and are the only means of increasing stock true to name. This is an inexpensive way of getting a fine lot of gladiolus bulbs. Bulblets will generally make blooming size bulbs in one summer, sometimes blooming first summer if planted early.

Assorted bulblets from our listed bulbs and others—100 for 25c, 300 for 50c, 1,000 for \$1. One generous quart \$2. Postpaid. Cannot guarantee germination of every bulblet.

REGAL LILY SEED

This beautiful lily is well worth growing as it is hardy most anywhere and requires little attention after once getting started.

It is easy to grow from seed. Large bulbs grow a four foot stalk and will have 25 or more large trumpet shaped fragrant flowers that last a long time when cut. Buds will open in the house in water.

Price: 10c a packet, 3 packets for 25c, postpaid.

GLADHAVEN GOLDEN HULLESS POP CORN

Our pop corn was a failure in 1952 but we have some nice guaranteed seed left over from the 1951 crop that will germinate as well as the 1952 crop would. This is the best tender hulless pop corn to be had anywhere. Price 1 oz. package 10c, 3 packages for 25c. No popping stock.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Unpack your bulbs at once as soon as received and store in a cool dry place until ready to plant. DO NOT LET YOUR BULBS FREEZE AT ANY TIME.

BY READING this list carefully you can save a lot of unnecessary correspondence.